

PROJECT OBJECTIVES

ACTIVITIES

SHORT TERM OUTCOME

LONG TERM OUTCOMES

OVERALL GOAL

Educating about Toxic Stress and Childhood Development

- Disseminate info at statewide meetings
- Partner on Children's Mental Health Matters! Campaign
- Prepare a one page info sheet about trauma
- Create a listserv and a website dedicated to ECCS

- Increased Awareness about the effects of Trauma and Toxic Stress
- Vision and plan is shared with collaborators and Stakeholders

- Families with young children will have more knowledge about trauma and toxic stress
- Collaborators and stakeholders will support state efforts to make progress in this area

Enhance Systems already focused on Trauma Informed Care

- Train Home Visitors in Mental Health triage/treatment
- Train Home visitors on SEFEL
- Support the Early Identification Risk Tool to enable Maryland to collect data on ACE
- Present training sessions on toxic stress at all conferences offered in the State.

- Home visitors will be more knowledgeable and experienced in dealing with child abuse and neglect
- Home visitors will be trained using the SEFEL Home Visiting Modules
- Barriers to service will be identified and plans to rectify these issues

- Home Visitors will use their training to better triage, refer and treat families and children with mental health
- Using systems already in place, better educate our early childhood providers on trauma informed care.

Mitigation of Toxic Stress and Trauma in Infancy and Early Childhood

Promote networks of supports and services for Trauma Care

- Host a Launch event for Raising of America. Conduct a speaker series on trauma informed care
- Host a Toxic Stress summit
- Partner with LAUNCH on EIR

- Begin planning of toxic stress summit with our partners and stakeholders
- Begin to designate speakers for the speaker series
- Recognize a program and county to pilot the Early Identification Risk Tool

- All Early care professionals will be better trained on toxic stress and trauma informed care.
- Showing the use of multiple systems in the State of Maryland.